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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

FILED ELECTRONICALLY ON JULY 28, 2010

Sir:

An interview was held between Applicant's Representative Theodore M. Magee and Examiner Baker on June 24, 2010. During the interview, Applicant's Representative requested clarification on the rejection of the Reissue Declarations.

Examiner Baker indicated that the rejection appeared to be based on lack of specificity in the Declaration as to particular errors being corrected. Applicant's Representative indicated that the errors stated in the original Reissue Declaration were still being corrected by the claims. In particular, the removal of the reference to cyclical-redundancy code (CRC) from the claims was still being addressed by the addition of new claims. Thus, each of the newly added claims are broader than the originally granted claims because they do not make reference to cyclical-redundancy code (CRC).

Applicant's Representative also indicated that the reference in paragraph [0009] of the Office Action to the nature of the defect in the declaration being set forth in the discussion above was not clear to Applicant. The Examiner indicated that he believed this to be a reference to paragraph [0008].

Applicant's Representative also stated they did not understand the requirement that the original claim should be amended or canceled as being defective for claiming more than the patentee had a right to claim, since patentee has asserted that the error in the original patent was

wholly or partly inoperative or invalid or reasons of the patentee claiming less than he had the right to claim in the patent.

The Examiner indicated that he would present these questions to others in the Patent Office to see if he could resolve the questions and agreed to call Applicant's Representative the week of June 28th through July 2nd.

The Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123.

Respectfully submitted,

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